

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT MOBILITY

BI-MONTHLY REGIONAL MOBILITY REPORT NOVEMBER / DECEMBER 2017 **EDITION NO. 01**

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Provide Outstanding Customer Service & Deliver Transportation Services of **Great Value**

FREEWAY MANAGEMENT

Operate a Reliable and Convenient Transportation System

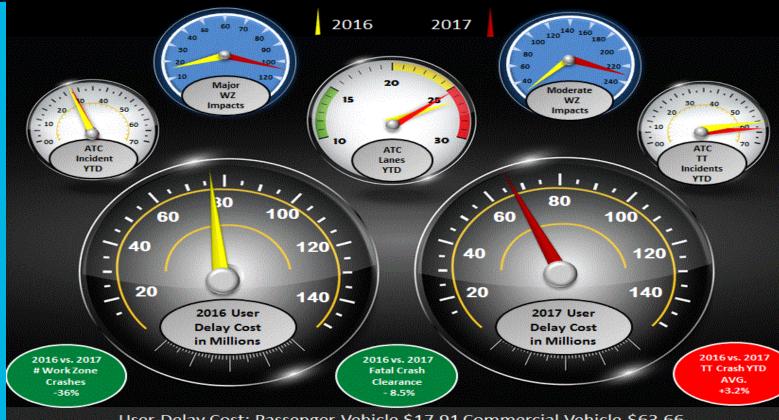
Use Resources Wisely & Advance Economic Development

WORK ZONE MANAGEMENT

Keep Roads and Bridges in **Good Condition**

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT

Keep Customers and **Ourselves Safe**



User Delay Cost: Passenger Vehicle \$17.91 Commercial Vehicle \$63.66 Sources Texas Transportation Institute & American Transportation Research Institute

2016 Grand Total and Average

Delay cost: Total \$76,182,938.39 Per VMT \$0.01

Hours of delay:

Person-hours: 3,519,705h 3m 7s Vehicle hours: 2,873,228h 36m 49s

Vehicle Miles traveled (VMT)

Total: 8,672,577,371 miles Passenger: 7,805,319,634 miles Commercial: 867,257,737 miles

Delay per VMT: 0.0199 mins/mile

2017 Grand Total and Average

Delay cost:

Total \$66,848,287.70 Per VMT \$0.01

Hours of delay:

Person-hours: 3,088,437h 39m 34s

Vehicle hours: 2,521,173h 35m 58s

Vehicle Miles traveled (VMT)

Total: 8,674,701,227 miles

Passenger: 7,807,231,104 miles

Commercial: 867,470,123 miles Delay per VMT: 0.0174 mins/mile



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ZONING IN

New Freeway Mobility Reporting Detailed For US 40 I-64 Corridor

Average Time To Clear Lanes Improved From A Year Ago

Overturned Tractor Trailers Continue To Cause Problems

Work Zone Delays Confined To Two Projects And An Emergency Repair

Improvements On I-64 At Mason Road Drop This Location From Top 5 **Congestion Spots for 2017**

TMS Work Zones:

November 2017: 218 December 2017: 189

Work Zone Impact Breakdown:

Major: 3 - 0.9%Moderate: 23 - 7.3%286 - 91.8% Minor:

WORK ZONE CRASHES: 7

Most Significant Impact Events

Planned Event

Location: Eastbound I-64 - Poplar Street Bridge Event Detail: Bridge work 3 lanes closed 25 minutes of additional travel time Dates:11-1 /12-31

during non-peak period

Unplanned Event

Location: Westbound I-44 before US 50 Event Detail: Tractor Trailer crashed through the guardrail, down an Date:11-2

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embankment, and struck a tree. Resulted in a 16 hour and 53 minute recovery and impacted both peak periods



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Top 5 Congestion Locations / YTD 2016 vs. 2017

| | Congestion Locations 2016 | *Base Impact | Average Queue Length Miles | Average Daily Duration | Total Duration |
|---|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|
| 1 | WB I-64 @ Clayton/Oakland Exit 34 | <mark>95,999.23</mark> | 2.39 | 1h 52 m | 28d 09h 12m |
| 2 | EB I-64 @ Big Bend Blvd Exit 33 | 89,326.13 | 3.19 | 1h 13m | 18d 12h 34m |
| 3 | EB I-64 @ Mason Road / Exit 24 | 87,241.94 | 2.71 | 1h 27m | 22d 05h 40m |
| 4 | EB I-64 @ I-70/I-55/US-40 | 86,385.1 <mark>7</mark> | 2.21 | 1h 33m | 23d 15h 14m |
| 5 | SB I-270 @ Manchester Road / MO 100 | 85,991.00 | 1.46 | 2h 37m | 39d 22h 13m |

Locations ranked on *Base Impact (The aggregation of Queue Length over time for congestion originating at each location in mile minutes)

| | Congestion Locations 2017 | *Base Impact | Average Queue Length Miles | Average Daily Duration | Total Duration |
|---|-------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|
| 1 | EB I-64 @ I-70/I-55/US 40 | 137,028.44 | 1.75 | 3h 51m | 57d 22h 05m |
| 2 | SB I-270 @ Manchester Road / MO 100 | 88,745.76 | 1.42 | 2h 48m | 42d 06h 36m |
| 3 | WB I-64 @ Clayton/Oakland Exit 34 | 83,429.38 | 2.30 | 1h 43m | 26d 01h 12m |
| 4 | EB I-64 @ Big Bend Blvd Exit 33 | 82,058.35 | 3.09 | 1h 08m | 17d 06h 05m |
| 5 | WB US 40 @ I-70 | 69,285.25 | 2.71 | 1h 11m | 17d 20h 28m |

Locations ranked on *Base Impact (The aggregation of Queue Length over time for congestion originating at each location in mile minutes)

Average Incident Duration Comparison / 2016 vs. 2017

| Month | Average Incident Duration (Minutes : Seconds) | 2016 | 2017 |
|----------|---|-------|-------|
| November | Lane Clearance | 25:27 | 25:19 |
| December | Lane Clearance | 29:22 | 26:17 |
| November | Incident Clearance | 28:21 | 28:16 |
| December | Incident Clearance | 32:22 | 29:47 |

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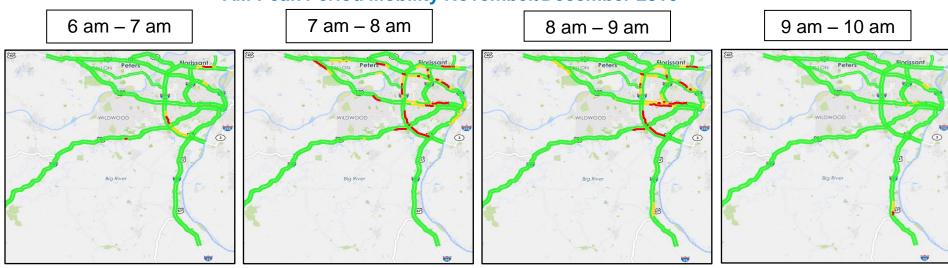


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Overall AM Mobility INCREASED

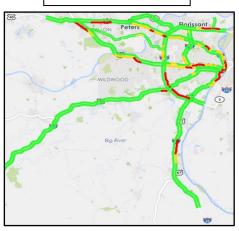
AM Peak Period Mobility November/December 2016



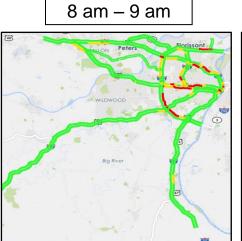
LEGEND (Speed Index) High Mobility (.90+) Medium Mobility (.80-.90) Low Mobility (< .80)

AM Peak Period Mobility November/December 2017





7 am - 8 am









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Highlighted Corridor

US 40 / I-64
Comparing AM November/December 2016
to AM November/December 2017

AM Eastbound US 40 / I-64 Mobility DECREASED 2016 → 2017

AM Westbound US 40 / I-64 Mobility INCREASED 2016 → 2017

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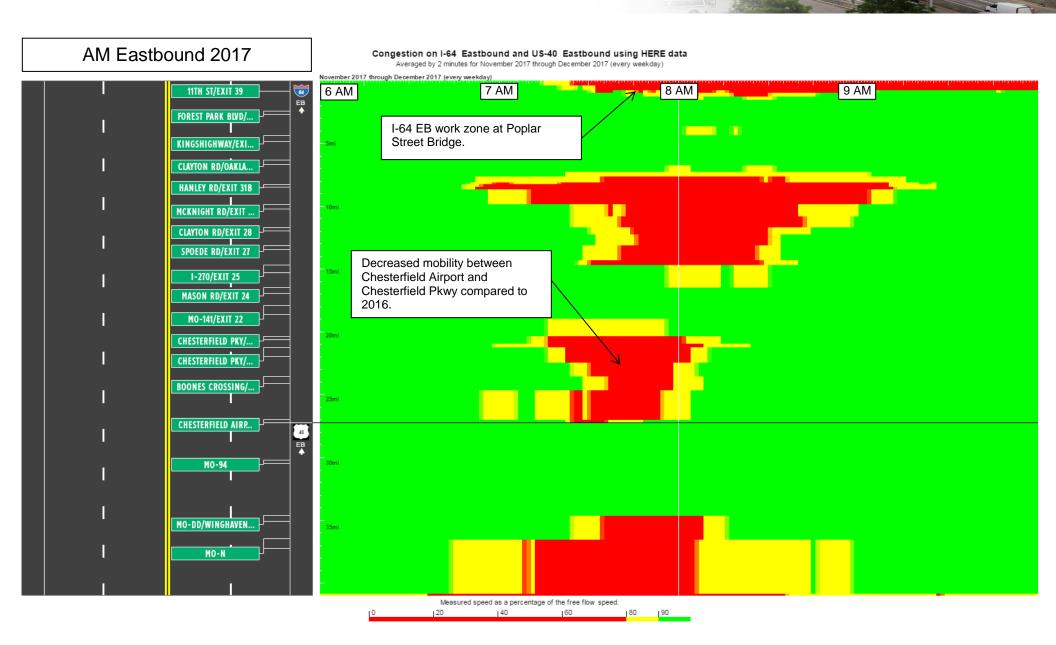


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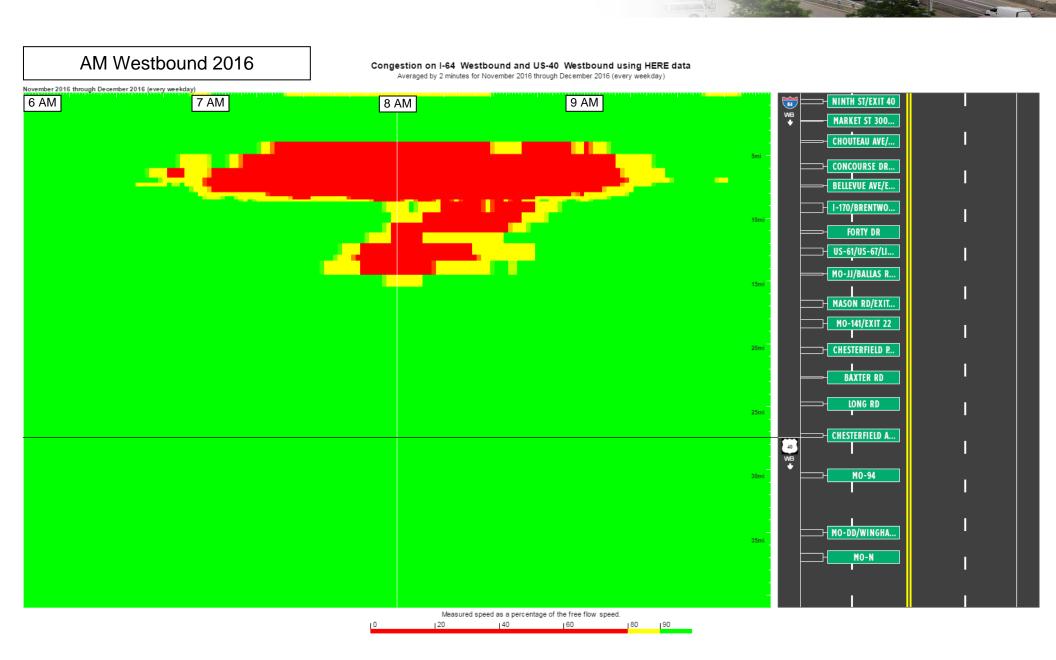






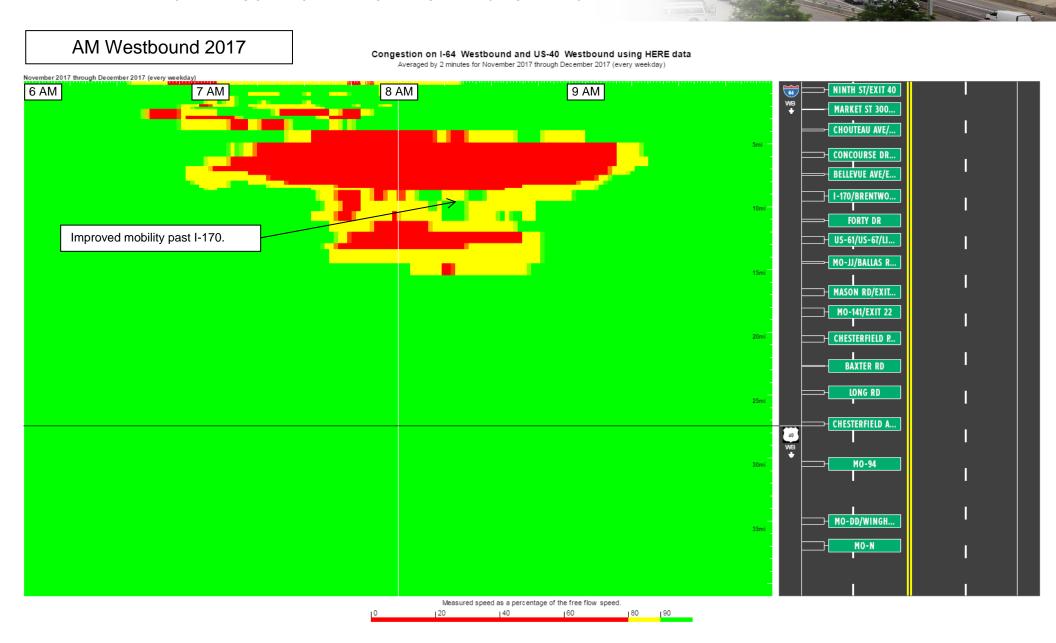










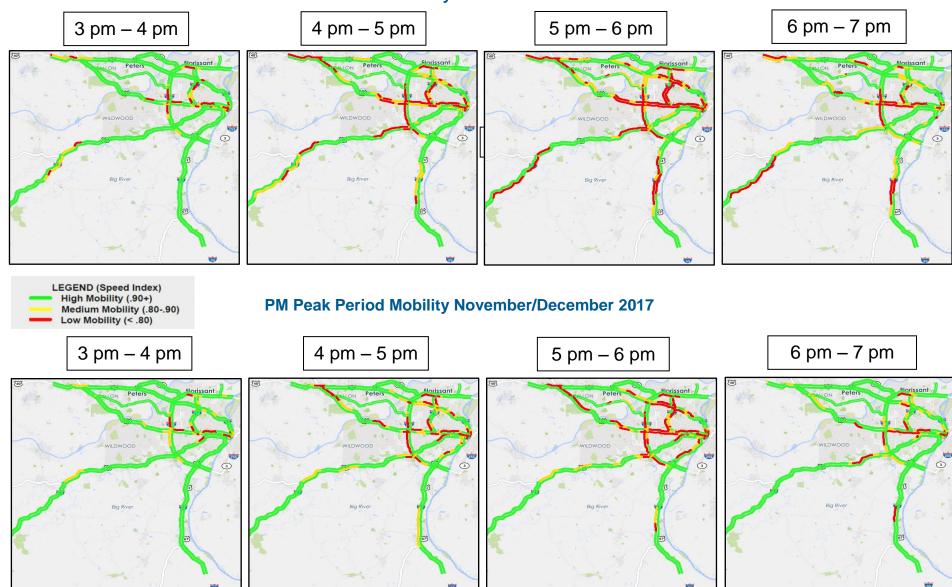




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Overall PM Mobility INCREASED

PM Peak Period Mobility November/December 2016







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Highlighted Corridor

US 40 / I-64
Comparing PM November/December 2016
to PM November/December 2017

PM Eastbound US 40 / I-64 Mobility INCREASED 2016 → 2017

PM Westbound US 40 / I-64 Mobility INCREASED 2016 → 2017



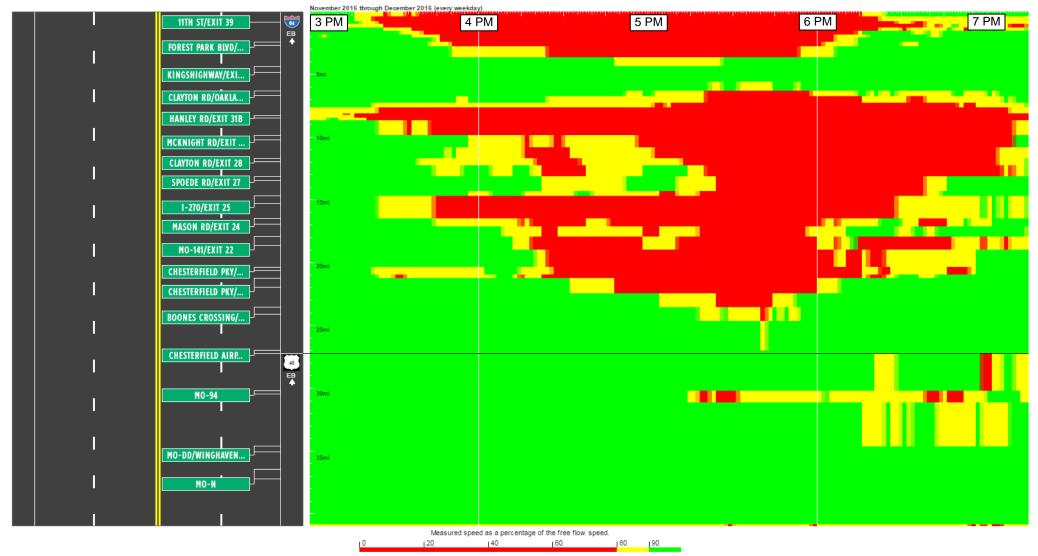


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PM Eastbound 2016

Congestion on I-64 Eastbound and US-40 Eastbound using HERE data

Averaged by 2 minutes for November 2016 through December 2016 (every weekday)





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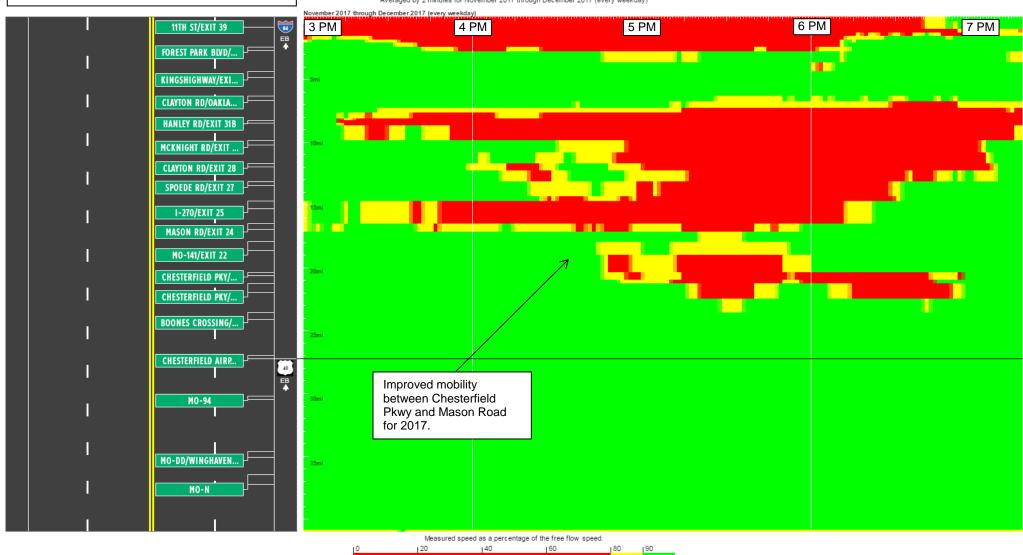


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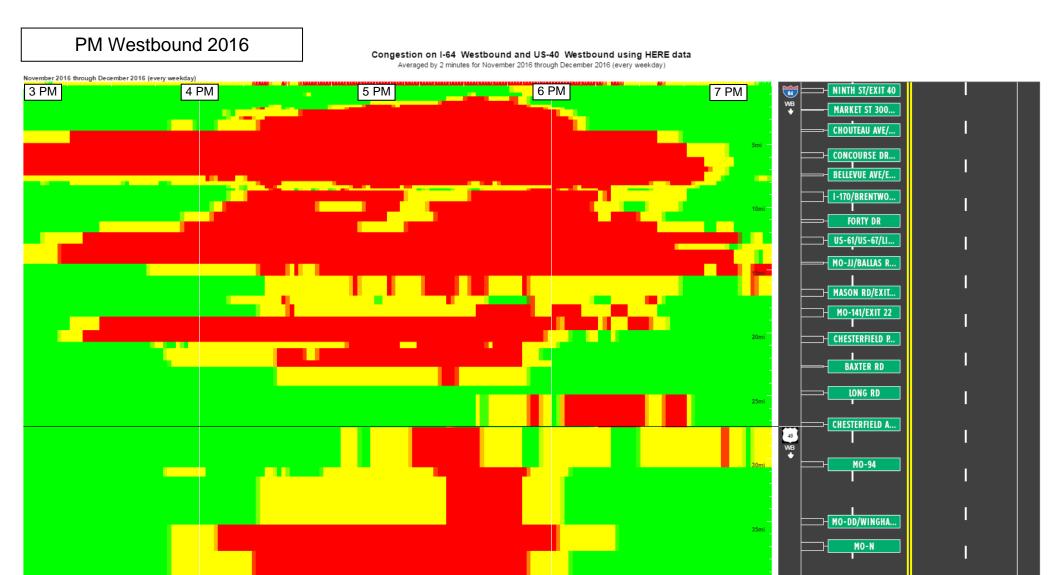
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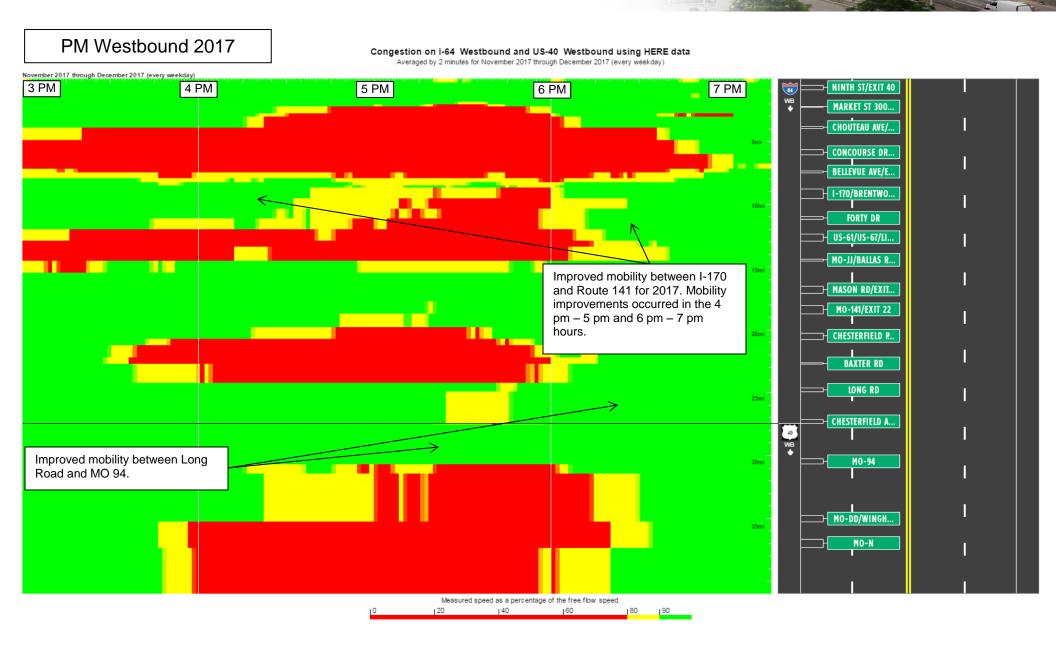
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Measured speed as a percentage of the free flow speed.









WORK ZONE MANAGEMENT

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TMC Observed Work Zones

| Novemb | er 2017 | December 2017 | | | | |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|--|--|--|
| Level of Travel Time Impact | Number of Work Zones | Level of Travel Time Impact | Number of Work Zones | | | |
| Major Impact | 3 | Major Impact | 0 | | | |
| Moderate Impact | 10 | Moderate Impact | 13 | | | |
| Minor Impact | 144 | Minor Impact | 142 | | | |
| Total | 157 | Total | 155 | | | |
| | *Impact Levels | described in Data Key: | | | | |
| SL | Mobility Rating: | SL Visibility levels: | | | | |
| | Nov 2017: 94% | Nov 20 |)17: 99% | | | |
| • | Dec 2017: 96% | ♦ Dec 20 |)17: 92% | | | |
| ♦ | Goal: 91% | ♦ Goal: | 91% | | | |





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| Additional | Travel | Time | Impacts | through | Work Zones |
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Major Impact (15 Minutes or Above): # Moderate Impact (10-14 Minutes): #

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11/1 – 12/31 (Daily) Eastbound I-64 – Poplar Street Bridge 3 right lanes:

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- Closed leaving one lane of traffic open eastbound before Poplar Street Bridge daily
- All mitigation efforts were in use
- RITIS data recorded additional travel times up to 25 minutes during non-peak hours

11/7 – (Tuesday) Southbound I-270 — Dorsett two lanes closed:

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- Emergency joint repair through PM peak
- All mitigation efforts were in use
- RITIS data recorded additional travel times up to 48 minutes

11/7 (Tuesday) Eastbound I-64 – Long Road reduced to one-lane:

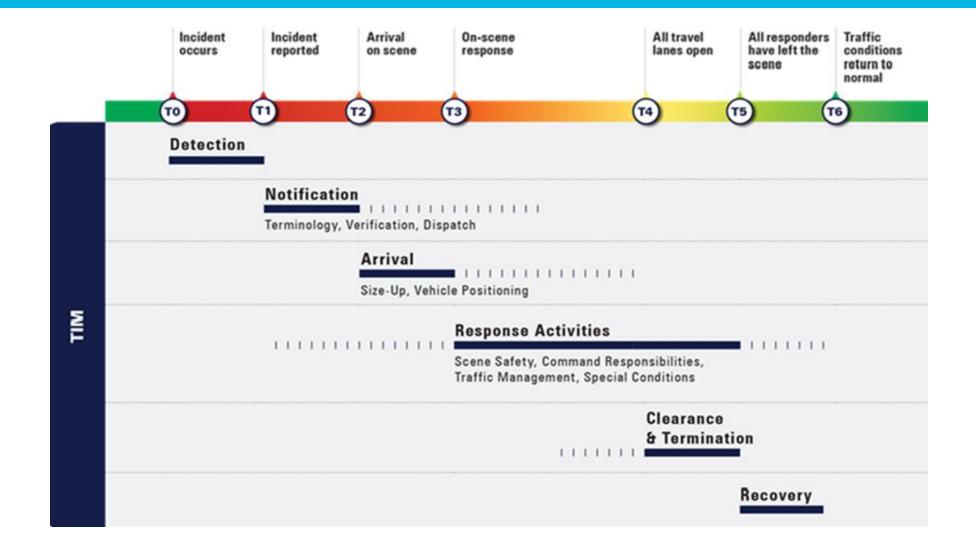
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- Traffic reduced to one lane during daytime
- Contacted inspector for mitigation but could not open lanes because they were waiting on concrete to cure
- RITIS data recorded additional travel times up to 41 minutes





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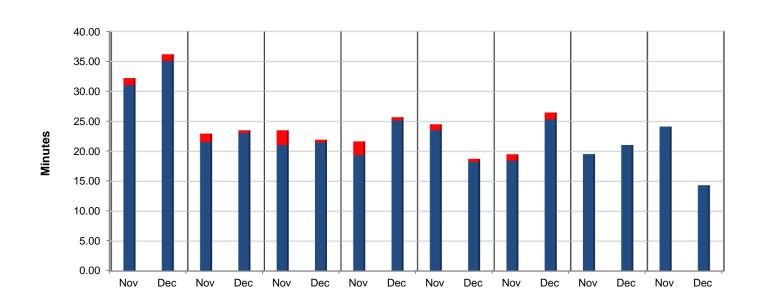






November 2017 vs. December 2017 Incidents Summary





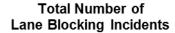
- Average Time for Backup to Clear = T6 T4
- Average Time to Clear Incident from Lanes = T4 T1

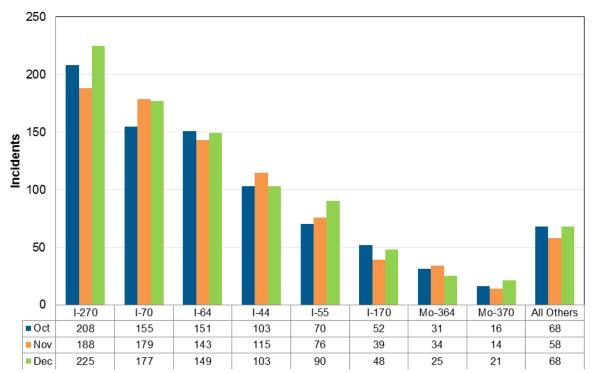




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Total Number of Incidents: October: 854 / November: 846 / December: 906





Major Impact Incidents

November 2017 vs. December 2017 (3)

(4)

Fatal Incidents

November 2017 vs. December 2017

(6)(6)

Tractor Trailer Incidents

November 2017 vs. December 2017

(47)(44)





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Lane Blocking Incidents by Freeway November and December 2017

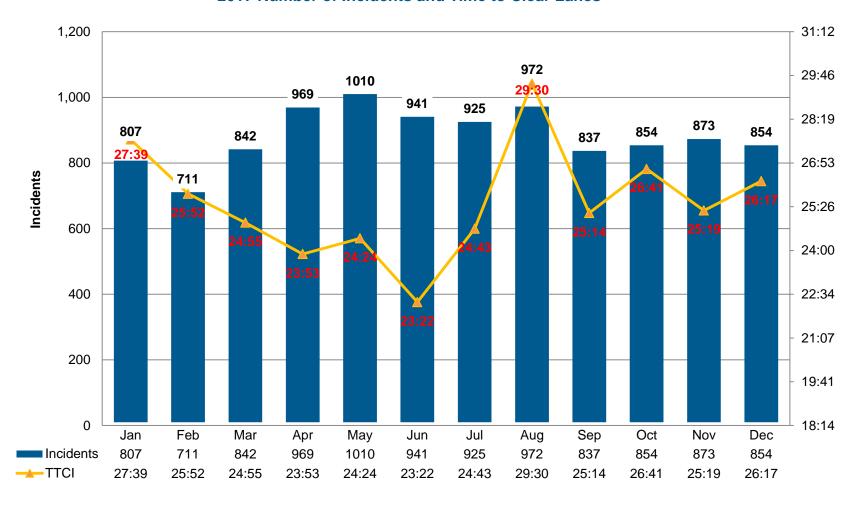
| Interstate | Month | Number of Incidents | Average Time to Clear Incident from Lanes = T4 - T1 | Average Time for Backup to Clear = T6 - T4 | Freeway Miles | Incidents per Mile |
|------------|---------|---------------------|---|--|---------------|--------------------|
| I-44 | Nov | 115 | 31:06 | 01:16 | 33 | 3.48 |
| I-44 | Dec | 149 | 35:08 | 01:11 | 33 | 4.52 |
| I-55 | Nov | 76 | 21:55 | 01:43 | 23 | 3.3 |
| I-55 | Dec | 90 | 23:05 | 00:47 | 23 | 3.91 |
| I-64 | Nov | 143 | 21:08 | 02:43 | 40 | 3.58 |
| I-64 | Dec | 149 | 21:49 | 00:47 | 40 | 3.73 |
| I-70 | Nov | 179 | 19:38 | 02:29 | 38 | 4.71 |
| I-70 | Dec | 177 | 25:16 | 00:55 | 38 | 4.66 |
| I-170 | Nov | 39 | 23:53 | 01:00 | 11 | 3.55 |
| I-170 | Dec | 48 | 18:24 | 00:52 | 11 | 4.36 |
| I-270 | Nov | 188 | 18:47 | 01:05 | 36 | 5.22 |
| I-270 | Dec | 225 | 25:53 | 01:16 | 36 | 6.25 |
| MO-364 | Nov | 34 | 19:57 | 00:00 | 11 | 3.09 |
| MO-364 | Dec | 25 | 21:07 | 00:00 | 11 | 2.27 |
| MO-370 | Nov | 14 | 24:15 | 00:00 | 13 | 1.08 |
| MO-370 | Dec | 21 | 14:37 | 00:00 | 13 | 1.62 |
| Total | Nov/Dec | 1672 | 22:52 | 01:00 | 410 | 4.08 |





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2017 Number of Incidents and Time to Clear Lanes

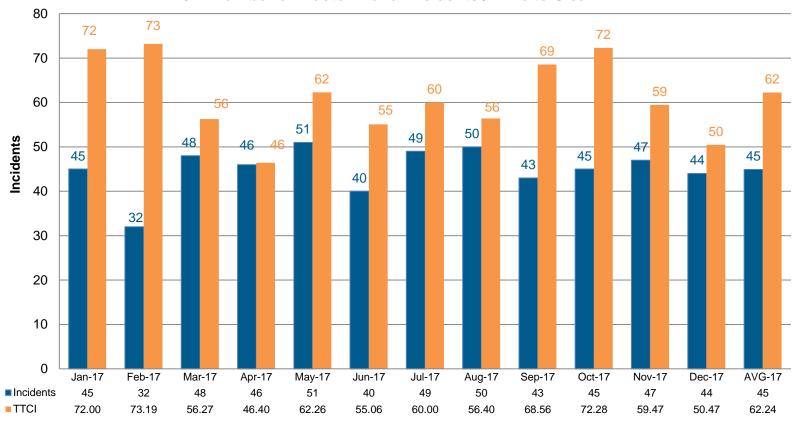






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2017 Number of Tractor Trailer Incidents / Time to Clear









2017 Tractor Trailer Incidents by Route

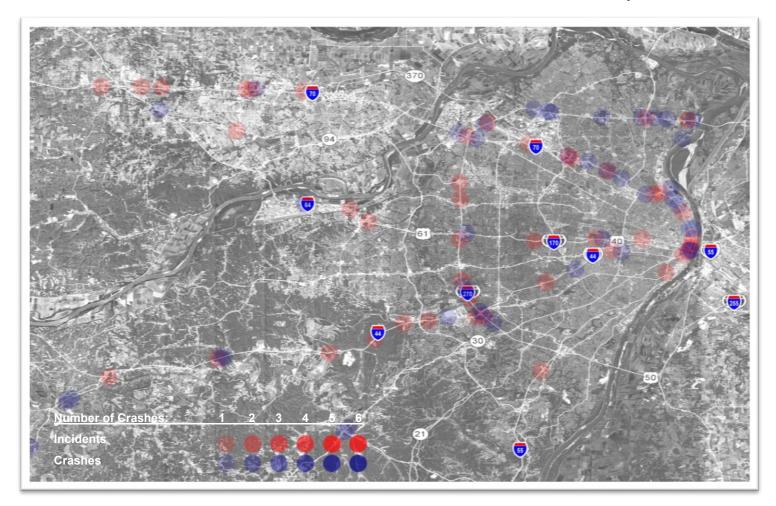
| 2017 | I-44 | I-55 | I-64 | I-70 | I-170 | I-255/I270 | Route 364 | Route 370 | Other | Total |
|------------|------|------|------|------|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|-------|-------|
| Jan | 11 | 4 | 4 | 11 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 45 |
| Feb | 10 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 32 |
| Mar | 12 | 7 | 7 | 12 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 48 |
| Apr | 16 | 3 | 5 | 10 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 46 |
| May | 11 | 8 | 2 | 15 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 51 |
| Jun | 15 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 40 |
| Jul | 19 | 5 | 7 | 11 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 49 |
| Aug | 7 | 4 | 9 | 11 | 1 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 50 |
| Sep | 9 | 1 | 6 | 11 | 2 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 43 |
| Oct | 6 | 6 | 2 | 20 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 45 |
| Nov | 12 | 3 | 7 | 13 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 47 |
| Dec | 13 | 3 | 3 | 11 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 44 |
| Year Total | 141 | 49 | 57 | 137 | 9 | 118 | 1 | 6 | 22 | 540 |





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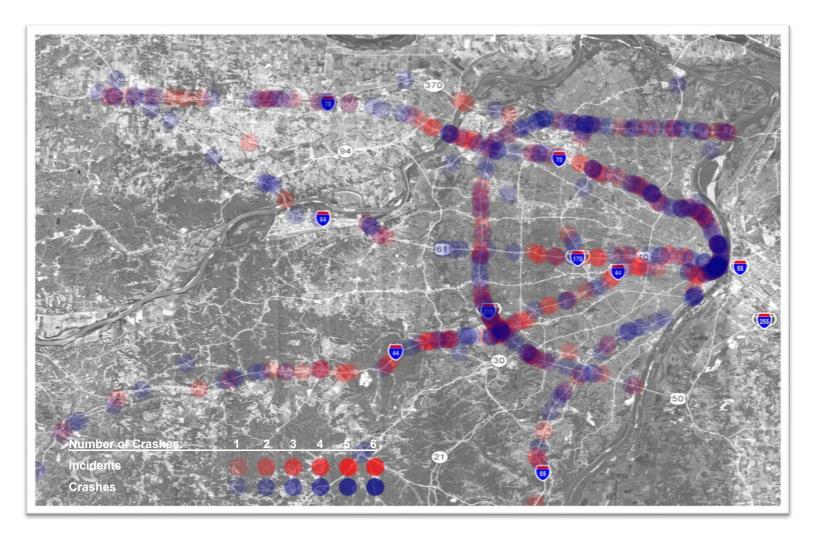


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January 2017 – December 2017 Tractor Trailer Incidents Map





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Incidents over Two Hours November / December 2017 Incidents in red denote high mobility impact

| | Data 9 Time | Day of | Davida | Laurian | Description | Duration |
|----|------------------|-----------|--------------------|----------------------------------|--|----------|
| # | Date & Time | Week | Route | Location | Description | HH/MM |
| 1 | 11/2/2017 6:33 | Thursday | I-44 WB | BEFORE US 50 WEST/UNION | TT Crash Down Embankment | 16:53 |
| 2 | 11/29/2017 9:58 | Wednesday | I-44 EB | BEFORE I-270 | Fatal Overhead Power Lines | 4:10 |
| 3 | 12/27/2017 2:54 | Wednesday | I-44 WB | BEFORE 7TH BLVD | Stalled TT Driveshaft Issue | 4:04 |
| 4 | 12/28/2017 1:38 | Thursday | RIVERVIEW DR | SPRING GARDEN DR | Two-Vehicle Crash / Car vs TT | 3:43 |
| 5 | 11/12/2017 2:16 | Sunday | I-270 NB | TO I-44 WB | Overturned TT Diesel Spill /State Damage | 3:27 |
| 6 | 12/24/2017 21:40 | Sunday | I-44 EB | BEFORE MADISON | Multi-Vehicle Crash Reconstruction | 3:21 |
| 7 | 11/26/2017 14:00 | Sunday | 50 US | INDEPENDENCE DR CST | Two-Vehicle Crash / Serious Injuries | 3:05 |
| 8 | 11/8/2017 15:26 | Wednesday | I-255 EB | BEFORE TELEGRAPH RD | 13 Car Crash | 3:04 |
| 9 | 12/6/2017 15:27 | Wednesday | I-64 WB | TO LONG RD | Fatal Plane Crash | 3:02 |
| 10 | 11/10/2017 16:53 | Friday | I-44 WB | ON RAMP FROM I-64 WB | Overturned TT Crash / Hauling Paper | 2:58 |
| 11 | 12/29/2017 9:12 | Friday | 44 OR | I-44 EB RP | Overturned TT Crash | 2:52 |
| 12 | 12/18/2017 18:20 | Monday | I-44 EB | BEFORE US 50 | Two-Vehicle Crash / Airlifted Injured | 2:51 |
| 13 | 12/3/2017 22:14 | Sunday | I-70 EB | BEFORE ROUTE K | Two-Vehicle Crash /Overturned Car | 2:46 |
| 14 | 11/1/2017 21:43 | Wednesday | NATURAL BRIDGE AVE | FAIR AVE CST | Fatal Two-Vehicle Crash / Reconstruction | 2:45 |
| 15 | 12/23/2017 1:54 | Saturday | I-70 WB | AT CAVE SPRINGS/ TRUMAN RD | Roadway Flooded | 2:24 |
| 16 | 12/22/2017 10:30 | Friday | I-70 WB | ON RAMP FROM W FLORISSANT AVE | TT Hung On wall trying to Turn | 2:08 |
| 17 | 12/23/2017 9:28 | Saturday | I-270 NB | TO PAGE AVE WB | Three-Vehicle Crash / Icy conditions | 2:04 |
| 18 | 12/23/2017 12:17 | Saturday | I-64 WB | TO I-270 SB | Two-Vehicle Crash / Icy conditions | 2:02 |
| 19 | 12/26/2017 18:37 | Tuesday | I-44 EB | ON RAMP FROM SP 100 | TT Jackknifed / Off-loaded before Tow | 2:02 |
| 20 | 12/06/2017 13:37 | Wednesday | I-270 SB | Before Dorsett Road | Emergency Joint Repair Lanes 2&3 | 1:52 |

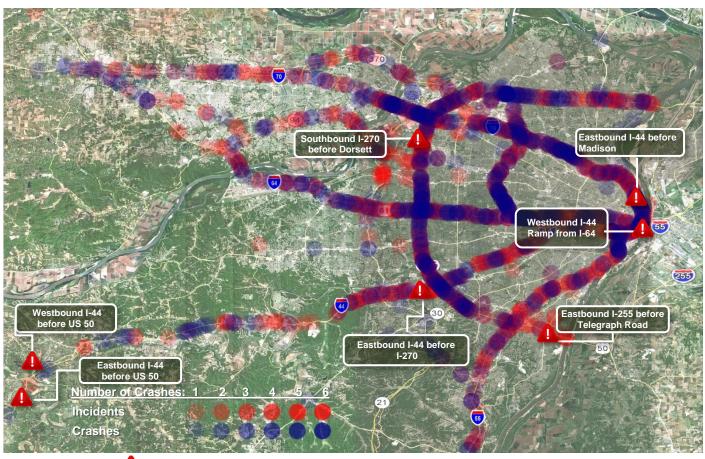


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November/December 2017 Incidents with Mobility Impact Map





Denotes Location of Major Impact Traffic Incidents



Major Impact Traffic Incidents and Mitigation

11/02/2017 (Thursday)

• **Time:** 2:00 am – 6:53 pm

Location: St. Louis County – Westbound I-44 before US 50

• Event Type: <u>Two-Vehicle Crash</u>

• Estimated Initial Impact: Rush Hour: 1 of 2 travel lanes affected equals (=) 50%

• **Incident Details** The driver of a tractor trailer steered to the right attempting to avoid a deer, and travelled off the right side of the roadway. The vehicle ran through the guardrail, down an embankment, and struck a tree. The driver was transported with moderate injuries.

- Action Taken: The Franklin County Sheriff's Department, MSHP, Boles Fire Protection District and Meramec Ambulance District all responded to work the incident. The TMC dispatched an Emergency Response unit to assist with traffic control, and activated available DMS boards to alert drivers of the lane closure. The I-44 Tow Company responded and advised that due to the steep grade of the embankment, and damage to the trailier, which was essentially cut in half, they would need to take the right lane for an extended period of time. Furthermore, they advised it would be a minimum of four hours before their traffic control company could respond from the Springfield area. Given this information, the TMC contacted Maintenance Superintendent Dan Tucker to have a MoDOT traffic control team respond to expedite the removal. While waiting for the traffic control team to arrive, the right lane was reopened and the tow company worked on the shoulder removing what was left of the guardrail. Upon traffic controls arrival, the incident was turned over to maintenance and a lane drop was installed. The duration of the incident was further extended once the tractor trailer was pulled up the embankment as it loaded with over 10,000 boxes which had to be offloaded to another trailer. Community Relations was notified due to the lane closure being in place during both morning and evening rush hours, and the Admin Page was sent. During the morning rush hour, traffic queued between 2.5 and 2.8 miles. The evening rush hour saw the traffic queue approximately 8 miles, back to Pacific. DMS boards were extended back to RT 141 advising motorist to expect a major delay.
- Event Duration: 16 hours 53 minutes

| Westbound I-44 before US 50 | Left Shoulder | Lane 1 | Lane 2 | Right Shoulder |
|-----------------------------|---------------|--------|--------|----------------|
| Closed Hours/Minutes | 0:00 | 0:08 | 14:53 | 16:53 |



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Major Impact Traffic Incidents and Mitigation

11/08/2017 (Wednesday)

• **Time:** 3:24 pm – 6:28 pm

• Location: St. Louis County – Eastbound I-255 before Telegraph Road

• Event: Multi-Vehicle Crash

• Estimated Initial Impact: Rush Hour: 4 of 5 travel lanes affected equals (=) 80%

• Incident Details: Multi-vehicle, chain reaction crash with 13 cars involved.

• Action: St. Louis County Police responded along with Mehlville Fire and EMS. The TMC dispatched Emergency Response to assist with traffic control, and activated appropriate DMS boards. All lanes were briefly closed to move the vehicles out of the left lane to the three right lanes. Extended duration was due to an extensive investigation by St. Louis County PD who were attempting to determine the cause of the accident. EOC, community relations, and ER shift supervisor were all notified, and the SLAdmin text was sent. The queue reached 5 miles at its peak, and DMS boards were pushed back to notify drivers of the delay. Once the investigation was complete incident duration was further extended another 55 minutes for the last three vehicles to be towed.

• Event Duration: 3 hours 4 minutes

| Eastbound I-255 before Telegraph Road | Left Shoulder | Lane 1 | Lane 2 | Lane 3 | Lane 4 | Exit Lane | Right Shoulder |
|---------------------------------------|------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|-------------------|
| Closed Hours/Minutes | 0:06 | 0:06 | 1:47 | 2:34 | 2:42 | 2:42 | 3:04 |







